

Conservation and Management Act, as amended by the Sustainable Fisheries Act on October 11, 1996; to the Committee on Resources.

8615. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Highly Migratory Species Fisheries [Docket No. 031125294-4091-02; I.D. 102903C] (RIN: 0648-AP42) received May 26, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

8616. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery; Temporary Closure for the Shore-based Whiting Sector [Docket No. 031216314-4118-03; I.D. 052004B] (RIN: 0648-AR54) received June 8, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

8617. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; West Coast Salmon Fisheries; 2004 Management Measures [Docket No. 040429135-4135-01; I.D. 042204G] (RIN: 0648-AS03) received May 26, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

8618. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Sea Turtle Conservation: Additional Exception to Sea Turtle Take Prohibitions [Docket No. 040127028-4130-02; I.D. 012104B] (RIN: 0648-AR69) received June 2, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

8619. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Designation of the ATL Group of Transient Killer Whales as a Depleted Stock Under the Marine Mammal Protection Act (MMPA) [Docket No. 031003245-4160-02; I.D. 122702A] (RIN: 0648-AR14) received June 8, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

8620. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Operations, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Dolphin and Wahoo Fishery off the Atlantic States [Docket No. 031007250-4079-02; I.D. 091503E] (RIN: 0648-AO63) received May 28, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

8621. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Rock Sole in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Area [Docket No. 031124287-4060-02; I.D. 051804B] received June 4, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

8622. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General for Administration, Department of Justice, transmitting in accordance with the Federal Activities Inventory Reform Act of 1998, the Department's FY 2003 inventory of commercial and inherently governmental activities; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8623. A letter from the Secretaries, Departments of Defense and Veterans Affairs,

transmitting a report for FY 2003 regarding the implementation of the health coordination and sharing activities portion of the National Defense Authorization Act of 2003 (Pub. L. 107-314) and an estimate of the cost to prepare this report, as required by Title 38, Chapter 1, Section 116, pursuant to 38 U.S.C. 8111(f); jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Veterans' Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. OXLEY: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 4471. A bill to clarify the loan guarantee authority under title VI of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 (Rept. 108-550). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia: Committee on Government Reform. H.R. 3797. A bill to authorize improvements in the operations of the government of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes (Rept. 108-551 Pt. 1).

Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia: Committee on Government Reform. H.R. 3751. A bill to require that the Office of Personnel Management study and present options under which dental and vision benefits could be made available to Federal employees and retirees and other appropriate classes of individuals; with amendments (Rept. 108-552). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the Committees on Education and the Workforce and Financial Services discharged from further consideration. H.R. 3797 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 3797. Referral to the Committees on Education and the Workforce and Financial Services extended for a period ending not later than June 17, 2004.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. FILNER:

H.R. 4603. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the non-recognition of gain on real property held by individuals or small businesses which is involuntarily converted as the result of the exercise of eminent domain, without regard to whether such property is replaced; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska (for himself, Mr. QUINN, and Mr. PORTER):

H.R. 4604. A bill to improve railroad security and to authorize railroad security funding, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California (for himself, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. KILDEE,

Mr. HOYER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. KIND, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. WU, Mr. HOLT, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. MAJETTE, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, and Mr. BISHOP of New York):

H.R. 4605. A bill to provide for review of determinations on whether schools and local educational agencies made adequate yearly progress for the 2002-2003 school year taking into consideration subsequent regulations and guidance applicable to those determinations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. BACA (for himself, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. CALVERT, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, and Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California):

H.R. 4606. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Bureau of Reclamation and in coordination with other Federal, State, and local government agencies, to participate in the funding and implementation of a balanced, long-term groundwater remediation program in California, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. EHLERS (for himself and Mr. GILCHREST) (both by request):

H.R. 4607. A bill to establish the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), to amend the organization and functions of the NOAA Advisory Committee on Oceans and Atmosphere, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Science, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. LAHOOD (for himself, Mr.

HASTERT, Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. RUSH, Mr. HYDE, Mr. EVANS, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. KIRK, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. EMANUEL, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. CRANE, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. WELLER, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. WOLF, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. UPTON, Mr. FROST, Mr. PETRI, and Mr. BILIRAKIS):

H.R. 4608. A bill to name the Department of Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic located in Peoria, Illinois, as the "Bob Michel Department of Veterans Affairs Outpatient Clinic"; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. MEEHAN:

H.R. 4609. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to modify the definition of the United States for the purposes of the prohibition against torture; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PICKERING (for himself and Ms. ESHOO):

H.R. 4610. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for arthritis research and public health, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. VITTER:

H.R. 4611. A bill to enable increased gasoline supplies and otherwise ensure lower gasoline prices in the United States; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Resources, Agriculture, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey:

H. Con. Res. 453. Concurrent resolution celebrating the establishment of democracy in Iraq and urging the people of the United States and of other countries in all communities and congregations to ring bells on June 30, 2004, to commemorate the restoration of freedom to the people of Iraq; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MCINNIS:

H. Con. Res. 454. Concurrent resolution commemorating over half a century of adjudication under the McCarran Amendment of rights to the use of water; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PALLONE:

H. Con. Res. 455. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that a commemorative postage stamp should be issued to promote public awareness of, and increased research relating to, Chrohn's Disease; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. UDALL of Colorado (for himself, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. OLVER, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. ACEVEDO-VILA, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. STENHOLM, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Mr. GORDON):

H. Con. Res. 456. Concurrent resolution recognizing that prevention of suicide is a compelling national priority; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 99: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. GORDON, and Mr. DEAL of Georgia.
H.R. 111: Mr. BILIRAKIS.
H.R. 112: Mr. SMITH of Texas.
H.R. 290: Mr. DOGGETT, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. STRICKLAND, and Mr. NORWOOD.
H.R. 716: Mr. REYES.
H.R. 1083: Mr. EMANUEL and Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia.
H.R. 1359: Mr. VITTER and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.
H.R. 1477: Mr. BERMAN.
H.R. 1639: Mr. LANTOS.
H.R. 1684: Mr. MARKEY and Mr. RAHALL.
H.R. 1688: Ms. ESHOO and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.
H.R. 1693: Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin.
H.R. 1716: Mr. CHANDLER.
H.R. 2023: Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. RANGEL, Mrs. BONO, and Mr. PAYNE.
H.R. 2032: Mr. KANJORSKI.
H.R. 2037: Mr. WATT.
H.R. 2173: Mr. RANGEL and Mr. McNULTY.
H.R. 2305: Mr. GRIJALVA.
H.R. 2491: Mr. STRICKLAND.
H.R. 2505: Mr. OLVER.
H.R. 2585: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.
H.R. 2727: Mr. SIMMONS.
H.R. 2863: Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida and Mr. SHUSTER.
H.R. 2890: Mr. OTTER.
H.R. 2966: Mr. MCCOTTER.
H.R. 3015: Mr. GONZALEZ.
H.R. 3069: Mr. HYDE, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, and Mr. TIAHRT.
H.R. 3085: Mr. MCGOVERN.
H.R. 3111: Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. MILLER of North Carolina, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. EMANUEL,

Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. STENHOLM, and Mr. WELDON of Florida.

H.R. 3142: Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. STARK, and Mr. GILCREST.

H.R. 3148: Mr. COOPER, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. CLAY, Mr. LYNCH, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. WYNN, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. JONES of Ohio, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. STARK, Mr. HILL, Mr. HONDA, Mr. EMANUEL, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. WATT, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. RUSH, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. EVANS, Mr. OWENS, Mr. BACA, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. BOSWELL, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. RENZI, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mrs. BONO, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. FOSSELLA, and Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 3193: Mr. LINDER, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. SWEENEY, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. CARDOZA, and Mr. BOSWELL.

H.R. 3242: Mr. MILLER of North Carolina.

H.R. 3281: Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. HOLT, and Mr. STARK.

H.R. 3307: Mr. ISAKSON.

H.R. 3446: Mr. SPRATT.

H.R. 3595: Mr. GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 3602: Mr. PAYNE, Mr. OWENS, Mr. SERRANO, and Mr. REYES.

H.R. 3684: Mr. ALLEN.

H.R. 3707: Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. NADLER, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. STUPAK, and Mr. SYNDER.

H.R. 3765: Mr. FARR, Mr. McKEON, Mr. COX, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. BONO, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. BACA, and Mr. SYNDER.

H.R. 3796: Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma.

H.R. 3810: Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 3820: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 3847: Mr. ESHOO.

H.R. 3889: Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina.

H.R. 3927: Mr. KIRK.

H.R. 4026: Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. FROST, Mr. ALEXANDER, and Mr. BOSWELL.

H.R. 4039: Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 4067: Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. GUTIERREZ, and Mr. HOFFFEL.

H.R. 4082: Mr. SNYDER and Mr. STARK.

H.R. 4110: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. OSE, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. RANGEL,

Mr. OWENS, and Mr. McDERMOTT.

H.R. 4131: Mr. KING of Iowa.

H.R. 4154: Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 4169: Mr. WALSH.

H.R. 4177: Mr. MILLER of North Carolina.

H.R. 4188: Mr. SOUDER and Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 4214: Mr. OWENS.

H.R. 4287: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 4316: Mr. DAVIS of Tennessee, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. GORDON, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. HINCHEY, and Ms. BALDWIN.

H.R. 4334: Mr. WEXLER.

H.R. 4342: Mr. GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 4346: Mr. SNYDER.

H.R. 4347: Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 4356: Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 4358: Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 4370: Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey and Mr. WEXLER.

H.R. 4377: Mr. BAIRD.

H.R. 4391: Mr. BILIRAKIS and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 4399: Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 4430: Mr. OTTER, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. THORNBERRY, and Mr. TURNER of Ohio.

H.R. 4440: Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey.

H.R. 4530: Mr. TANCREDO.

H.R. 4571: Mr. FEENEY.

H.R. 4575: Ms. WATSON and Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 4600: Mr. EHLERS.

H.J. Res. 28: Mr. GUTIERREZ and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.J. Res. 29: Mr. GUTIERREZ and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.J. Res. 30: Mr. GUTIERREZ and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.J. Res. 72: Ms. SOLIS.

H. Con. Res. 319: Mr. WOLF, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. FROST, Mr. GALLEGLY, and Mr. KIRK.

H. Con. Res. 425: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri.

H. Con. Res. 435: Mr. OWENS.

H. Con. Res. 442: Mr. McDERMOTT and Mr. POMEROY.

H. Res. 466: Mr. CONYERS.

H. Res. 615: Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mr. HOFFFEL, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. MATSUI, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. FEENEY, Mr. WAXMAN, and Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida.

H. Res. 617: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. WAXMAN, and Mrs. MUSGRAVE.

H. Res. 667: Mr. DEUTSCH.

DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were deleted from public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 3308: Mr. BEAUPREZ.

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 4567

OFFERED BY: Mr. TANCREDO

AMENDMENT No. 24: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following: SECTION _____. None of the funds made available in this Act may be used to provide assistance to any State that has enacted a law, subsequent to the passage of this act, authorizing aliens who are not lawfully present in the United States to obtain a driver's license, or other comparable identification document, issued by the State.

H.R. 4567

OFFERED BY: Mr. WELDON OF PENNSYLVANIA

AMENDMENT No. 25: Page 2, line 16, insert after the dollar amount the following: "(reduced by \$50,000,000)".

Page 25, line 24, insert after the dollar amount the following: "(increased by \$50,000,000, which increase is available for grants under section 34 of the Federal Fire Prevention and Control Act of 1974 (15 U.S.C. 2229a))".

H.R. 4567

OFFERED BY: Mr. WELDON OF PENNSYLVANIA

AMENDMENT No. 26: Page 2, line 16, insert after the dollar amount the following: "(reduced by \$50,000,000)".

Page 25, line 24, insert after the dollar amount the following: "(increased by \$50,000,000)".

H.R. 4567

OFFERED BY: Mr. KING OF IOWA

AMENDMENT No. 27: At the end of the bill (before the short title) add the following:

SEC. _____. Appropriations made in this Act are hereby reduced in the amount of \$896,000,000.